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Re: U.S. Patent Application

Of: Jeffrey T. Maddox et al. On: COMPACT FLUID PUMP

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find the specification, claims, declaration, petition, power of attorney, informal drawings, and Independent Inventor form claiming small entity status with regard to the above-identified application.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Patent Application submitted herewith for Jeffrey T. Maddox et al., for COMPACT FLUID PUMP, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, this 14th day of Application, 1999.

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